

THE WEATHER

LOUISIANA: Partly cloudy, warmer in southeast portion tonight; Friday partly cloudy, cooler in north portion.

ARKANSAS: Partly cloudy, slightly cold, with rain and extreme north portions tonight; Friday fair, colder.

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FINNS DENY RUSSIAN SUCCESS

NAZI OFFICIAL'S DEATH BLAMED ON VENGEANCE

New York German Consulate Secretary Killed While Asleep

HOME MYSTERY PLACE Only Men Entertained At Residence Known As 'Hitler House'

By Toby Wantz

NEW YORK, Dec. 7.—A vengeful person with the name or personal grudge was sought as the blindfold slayer of Dr. Walter Engelberg, 42, German consulate secretary.

Deputy Medical Examiner Manuel E. Marten said Engelberg, who had been in the country twelve years, 20 years, had been struck about three times while walking in a quiet place with an ax. He said the other slayer, western, wore a coat from which was practically blood-free.

No trace was found for Engelberg's Brooklyn doctor, who, it was learned, called "Hitler house" when he is on a dead-end street to which he kept a Jewish bar.

Engelberg's hands were covered in a bloody and taken up from the floor and floor before his secretary, Margaret Smith, filled out her tax return, she wrote in the information that her husband no longer lived here.

She got back her tax bill—and one for Mr. Lefton Smith.

SENTENCED "FOR NOTHING"

WILSON, N. C.—A negro defendant, who had been accused of robbing a bank and killing a man, was sentenced yesterday to 24 hours' hard labor.

He had been held in jail since he was arrested in October.

District Attorney W. H. F. X. Gagnon and the defense attorney, a bachelor, had been unable to agree on a sentence because the negro's relatives were unable to meet the cost of his defense.

OPEN SESAME

ALBUQUERQUE, N. M.—S. O. Olguin's friends plan to dance him right through their prison doors for Christmas.

His condemned friends in need

have to raise \$200 from a new fund to pay the fine he received along with a prison term. His time will be served if he can get paid.

He will get something like 12 months sentence.

ACCIDENT

SAN FRANCISCO, Calif., Oct. 29.—Wall Stevens, 21, son of the floor manager of a San Francisco stock market, was killed yesterday by the Chief Inspector of Police, John Englehardt. The inspector, a 35-year-old bachelor, had been given by a German newspaper as the author of the fatalities were in fact due to his neglect.

Among several persons shot in the stricken car, which was driving at a high rate of speed, was a woman.

Neighbors first regarded "Hitler house" as a place of mystery. They said Engelberg had entertained men until late hours, that women were seen entering and leaving, but they had heard nothing more.

In the kitchen, there were signs of mayhem because Engelsberg was said to have been drinking heavily.

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WHAT NEXT?

NEBRASKA CITY, Neb.—To the Chris Adams family comes trouble in bunches.

Last week Baby Adams got pneumonia.

Over the week end it became dangerous.

The same day Phyllis Adams came down with scarlet fever.

Then Jess Adams, 17, the manager,

Stom is accused to the accident prevent by his mother.

Ejected From Long Meeting For Asking Where Money Came From

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 7.—(AP)—A heckler took a role in the gubernatorial campaign last night.

As Gov. Earl K. Long speaking at Laplace was outlining "benefits" the administration had given the people an aged man got up and asked:

"Were you furnishing that money or is it the public furnishing it?"

Governor Long, stepping from the microphone, cried: "Someone get him out of here! Someone get him out!"

Several men took the man from the meeting, but Long later apologized for ordering his ejection, saying:

"I know old man I would do anything in the world for him."

Vincent Massey, speaking at Kaplan, suggested that since Long was delaying "working out a platform" he should adopt his (Massey's).

James H. Morrison, at Ville Platte, said again that he would enlarge the penitentiary and fill it "with those who are now robbing the people and the state."

James A. Nix said his photographing of poll books in New Orleans was the "greatest single victory of the people over the administration in four years."

James Jones in New Orleans said the administration was responsible for the decline of the port of New Orleans.

Governor Long directed most of his attack toward State Senator James A. Nix.

"Four or five nights ago, Jimmy Nix was saying that he was going to be indicted, but that if he was he was not going to quit the state," the governor declared. "Isn't that about what he said in effect? But today, he gives a statement to the newspapers, saying that he is not indicted, that he is not going to be indicted and that he is not being investigated."

"Well, I don't know if I should tell you this or not, but I know they have been investigating him from top to bottom," he said.

A special levy on the profits of munitions and armaments manufacturers, each elected for five years and five are reelected for four years.

The five pairs on the senior board whose names appear on the ballots being made out are E. E. Pritchett and C. C. Bell, E. R. Dawson and J. W. Warren, J. T. Conner and Lester Sharff, M. C. McDonald and W. Mintz, J. D. Landry and L. T. Miller.

Those on the junior board are W. C. Ward and F. C. McConville, Albert Colmer and Paul Reising, Kramer Haas and Art Sutcliffe, T. Michel and Ray Updegraff, Ben Bucknell and George Hemphill.

PEOPLE IN PHOENIX GET 'JUDD JITTERS'

PHOENIX, Ariz., Dec. 7.—(AP)—Phoenix has the "Judd jitters."

That's why says Deputy Sheriff Ernest Roach, his office is swamped with false tips on the hiding place of Winnie Ruth Judd, twice-escaped mad murderer. Every clue has been investigated, futilely.

Today's south centered in a district 10 miles northeast of Arizona State hospital, from which Mrs. Judd fled Sunday night.

Scores of large winter residences whose owners have not yet occupied them for the season could be used as hiding places.

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LITTLE NATION RECEIVES HELP FROM OUTSIDE

Received numerous savings of the
floods. But it is not the first time
the little nation has been helped by
strangers.

DILLON TRIAL LIKELY TO GO TO JURY TODAY

The trial of James E. Dillon, accused of being a member of the Ku Klux Klan, was adjourned yesterday by U. S. Commissioner W. H. Rugg, who said he would rule on the admissibility of testimony of witnesses before the trial begins.

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TRAITOR!



BURKE VERIFIES BOND REFUNDING DEAL IN COURT

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He said the bill was introduced with other bills in a letter read yesterday by the House to Rep. Rugg, suggesting a sum of \$100,000 less than the amount offered as the groundwork of the government's case.

The text of the bill, dated June 11, 1938, and signed by Rugg, to have been sent from Robert J. Newman, representative to A. C. Smith, a former member of the House, to the defendants in the trial, follows:

"This day we, the undersigned, in the exercise of our authority to make laws for the District of Columbia, do enact as follows:

"Section 1. That the sum of \$100,000, or so much thereof as may be necessary, be and is hereby appropriated to the use of the Office of the Auditor of the District of Columbia for the payment of the amount of the deficiency in the amount of \$1,000,000, or so much thereof as may be necessary, which is due to the District of Columbia from the United States."

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in board bonds for a fee of 25 per cent of the savings in interest rates. The government claimed that under the contract there was an overpayment of \$361,582.42.

The government claimed the defendants used the mail to defraud in allegedly sharing in the fee.

The other defendants are Norvin Trent Harris Jr. of the Newman Harris firm and Herbert W. Waggespack, levee board member.

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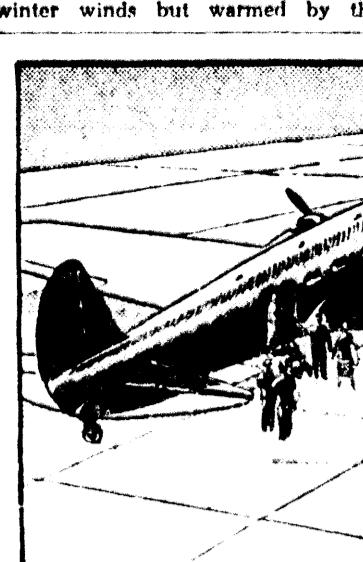
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ROAD MERCY
ROANOKE, Va.—(P)—Stranded travelers forced to dismount from a disabled bus here were chilled by winter winds but warmed by the

spontaneous hospitality of nearby residents. The citizens served the bus passengers sandwiches and hot drinks on the street until the bus company arranged other transportation.



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'PUMP-PRIMING' CONDEMNED BY MANUFACTURERS

Past Decade Called Story Of Retarded Industrial Expansion

NEW YORK, Dec. 7.—(AP)—Government sums "poured out" in recent years for "pump-priming" projects have "proved no remedy for our economic ills," the government finance committee of the National Association of Manufacturers reported today.

"There is a limit to the portion of industrial production which can be taken through taxation for governmental purposes without causing a loss of jobs in private industry and a general lowering of living standards," the committee said.

"In the light of the cold facts, the only conclusion which can be reached is that the pump-priming activities of the government stand condemned by lack of success. The past decade is a story of retarded industrial expansion, discouraged enterprise and widespread unemployment."

"Never before in history of the nation have depressed economic conditions prevailed for so long a time.

The committee concluded that the federal government has spent more in two years than it did from its beginning in 1933 to its present existence—a total of \$10 billion.

"The present administration's debt, the present budget deficit, the large amount of money now required to maintain the status quo, represents a continuation of the general trend of the past ten years."

"So far, however, the economy has been strengthened by the increased requirements of the defense program, but there is no guarantee that this condition will be maintained."

Before private industry can expand, the necessary materials must be available. The manufacturers have restricted their production to what is available. The manufacturers have been compelled to do this because of the heavy taxes imposed on them by the government.

"The final result of the combination of these factors is that the manufacturers are compelled to cut down their production to the point that the nation must be supplied by imports."

Before private industry can expand, there must be extensive expansion of restricted areas, such as agriculture, to provide raw materials for the manufacturers. This is being done by the government.

mitted foreigners to make amazing profits, at our expense."

John H. Van Deventer, editor of Iron Age, said in another address prepared for the congress that fear of "growing political power" was primarily responsible for the inability of "electrical and mechanical power" to develop rapidly enough to provide jobs for 10 million men.

KIWANIS HOLDS CLASSES HERE

One Day School For In- coming Officers Is Conducted

Kiwanians of Monroe and vicinity had a big day Wednesday when a school for incoming club officers was conducted. Attending the school were H. C. Chambers, W. W. Kelly, Victor Mulhearn, W. A. Cooper, all of Rayville; Charles E. Friend, W. E. Westfield, of Bossier City; Joe Levy and W. W. Teekent, of Shreveport; W. B. Limerick, A. McMeans, E. F. Madon, of Bastrop; C. E. Faulk, Jr., R. C. Neill of Ruston; Otis Ederton, C. F. Ducaude, of Alexandria; Decker Moore, E. S. Elie, of West Monroe; Ivor Jordan, Charles Fleming, R. C. Stokes, and Vernon Adkins, of Monroe.

Frank Henderson, governor, and W. D. Cotton, governor-elect, F. K. Hesch, past governor, were present, leading facsimiles. Every phase of activity of the clubs and the duties of officers were stressed in a session that lasted until 3:30 p.m. Various types were discussed by Rose Neill, P. F. Walker, Ivor Jordan, S. A. McMeans, George Faulk, Biggie Hatchell, Mrs. Ederton, Joe Levy, Joe Johnson, Arthur M. Means and W. W. Terrell.

At the close of the session the regular Kiwanis Club of Monroe elected H. C. Chambers president, as the Club members, H. C. Chambers, H. L. Himes and Ivor Jordan, as vice presidents, and Frank McMeans, Secretary, as treasurer. Mr. Terrell was welcomed as a new member and transferred from the Ruston Kiwanis Club. He was accorded the same courtesy as he had been accorded when he was elected to the Rayville Kiwanis Club.

The first meeting of the new organization of Kiwanians of Monroe was held at the Kiwanis Clubhouse on Main Street, where the officers were installed and that the election was held.

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PUBLIC HEALTH GROUP RETURNS

Attended Meetings In Shreveport; Dr. Mengis Next President

Dr. G. Douglas Williams, director of the Ouachita Parish Health unit, and eleven other health unit attaches have returned to Monroe after being in attendance at the annual three-day convention of the Louisiana Workers Association of Public Health Workers at Shreveport.

Attending the meet with Dr. Williams from the local unit were Dr. A. L. Cohn, Mrs. Alverne Rogers, Miss Rosie Lee Mariano, Miss Pearl Peter, Miss, Miss Leontine Wimberly, Mrs. H. W. Conner, Mrs. Pare Roberts, Mrs. W. O. Bell, Mrs. Eddie Ray Heggen, Miss Florence Deane, and Miss Elizabeth Trull.

Dr. C. L. Mengis of New Iberia

formerly of Monroe, director of the Iberia parish health unit, was elected president Wednesday morning at the closing session. Dr. W. J. Sandidge, director of the Caddo-Shreveport health unit, is retiring president of the organization.

Other officers chosen were: Mrs. Lois Grey of Monroe, first vice-president; Mrs. J. A. Coleman, second vice-president; Dr. J. A. Coleman, of New Orleans, secretary-treasurer; Celine McGinn of New Orleans, recording secretary, and the following sectional chairmen: Dr. L. C. Spencer of Harrisonburg; directors: Annie R. McLeod of Crowley; nurses: Jason Berry, Union, Richland, Winn, Caddo and other parishes. Advance indications are that there will be from 1,000 to 1,500 present.

Among those expected are Mayor Thomas and Robert Kenyon of Minden, Rev. Tom Ratcliff of Orla, Rev. Morris Lee of Atlanta, Tex., and Sheriff Sam McCollum of Magnolia, Ark. The program will be as follows:

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- 7. Gertie May, Monroe.
- 8. Miss Ruth Hawks, Monroe.
- 9. Carol Shell, Monroe.

ENCAMPMENT ELECTS

First Miro Encampment No. 15, I.O.O.F., met Wednesday night and elected the following officers: C. M. Peters, chief patrolman; R. Phillips, high chief; W. L. Gable, senior warden; D. A. Moore, junior warden; Lawrence E. Edge, adjutant; B. W. Grimes, recorder; W. E. Hinckley, representative to the grand encampment with Dr. F. Collins, alderman.

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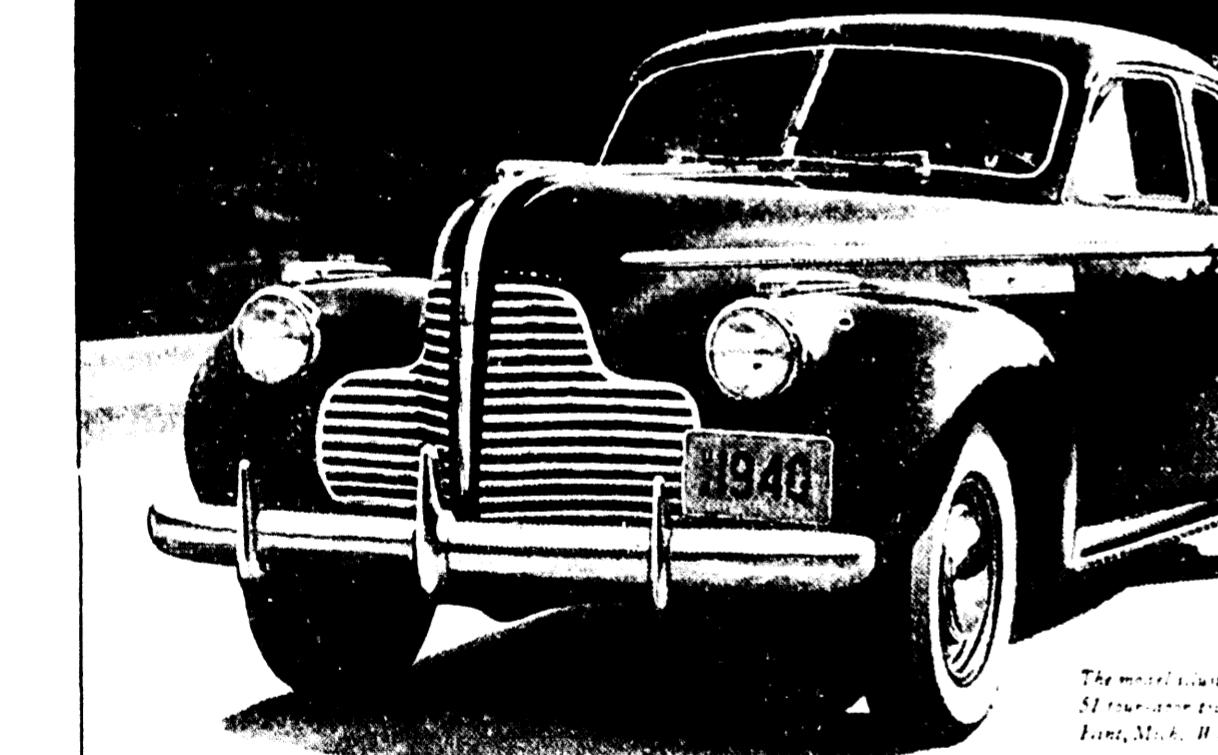
STUBBORN BACKACHE

If you have persistent annoying backache and suspect that your kidneys are to blame, see the kidney specialist and get rid of the trouble. Dr. John B. Youmans, professor of medicine at the Vanderbilt University School of Medicine spoke on "New Aspects of Some Decency Diseases."

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For the past 10 years, G. H. Motors Securities Company has been insuring the personal property of men in business. Don't be an easy mark and accept a substitute—look for the Gold Medal on the box—it's your guarantee of purity—Ady.

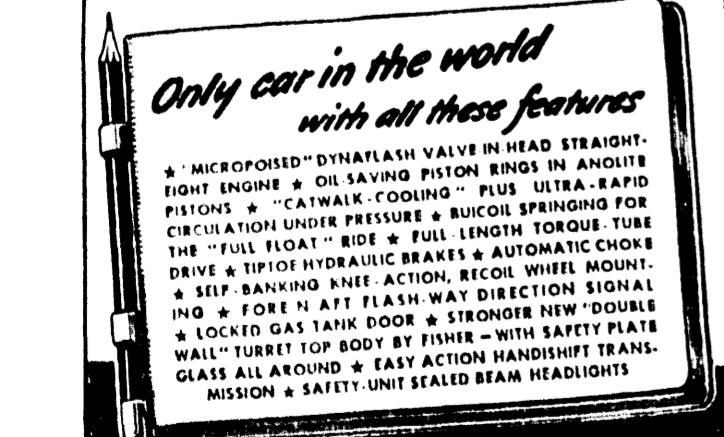
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You look at the advertised prices, add something more for transportation and accessories—and there you begin to go wrong!

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JACKSON PARISH TO HOLD MEET

Singing Convention Planned At Chatham Next Sunday

CHATHAM, La., Dec. 7.—(Special)—Jackson parish is anticipating a largely attended singing convention here on Sunday, December 10. A number of singers will attend from Ouachita, Lincoln, Bienville, Franklin, Union, Richland, Winn, Caddo and other parishes. Advance indications are that there will be from 1,000 to 1,500 present.

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PERMITS ISSUED FOR 3 NEW RESIDENCES

Permits for the construction of three new residences and an addition to a store were announced Thursday morning by Sam H. Awd, city building commissioner.

C. W. Nall was given a permit to build a one-story frame dwelling at 703 South Third. To include five rooms and a bath, the house will cost \$4,000.

T. A. Hendry is the contractor. Permits were granted Mrs. Josephine Fullerton to build a one-story frame residence at 303 West First street. Including five rooms and a bath, the house will cost \$3,200. John Catalina is the contractor.

A permit was given C. C. Luckey to build a one-story frame residence at 609 Eighth street. At a cost of \$3,600

the house will contain five rooms and a bathroom and will have an asbestos roof. H. Bart Green was given a permit to build an addition to the frame store building at 109 South Eighth street. At a cost of \$100, the work will be done by the owner.

FALSE TEETH THAT LOSE

Not Embarrass

Many dentists of the state are offering a special service to the public during the month of December. They are giving away free dental examinations and advice to all who come to their offices.

Besides backache, other symptoms of kidney sluggishness may be swollen ankles, puffy eyes, leg cramps, getting up nights, difficult and scanty passing.

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MODERN TRACTOR BREAKS SOIL FOR CHILDREN'S HOME

Many friends visiting the Louisiana Baptist Children's home yesterday afternoon saw Superintendent B. F. Wallace ride a new Ford tractor pulling a doubled fourteen-inch turning plow through the stiff buckshot land on the 430 acres owned by the home. The Ford tractor was being demonstrated, but the superintendent was getting the toughest land that he had, turned about eight or nine inches deep. This demonstration was put on by the Gulf States Tractor and Equipment company, with Ansel H. Dawson, of Shreveport, directing. They will plow some forty acres of land for the home.

Friends desiring to see the property of the children's home will easily locate it by the large pecan grove on the north side of Highway 80, about five miles east of Monroe. To the south of this pecan grove will be found fields of oats and vetch and the large pasture lands with many cattle and hogs. Friends may drive through the extent of the property.

Many prominent farmers were there yesterday. Among them were: C. B. Sherrone, M. C. Townsend, W. T. Childres, and Harry Martin, all of Gilbert; J. D. Stuart, manager of Louisiana Central Telephone company; C. E. Smith, P. E. Zeigler, and R. C. Cantrell, all of Clarks, also Harper Humphries of Grayson; Alva Reitzler of Clarks, and Francis Contrell, of Monroe. Another attending the demonstration was T. W. Smith of Bas-

tron.

CLAIBORNE CLUB'S MEETING IS HELD

The Claiborne Home Demonstration club met at the home of Mrs. B. H. Andrews in the McGuire addition Tuesday. A round table discussion was held on the unemployment and economic situation of the community.

The club is to send Christmas pack-

ages of fruit to the G. B. Cooley

sanatorium and plans were made for

the holding of a Christmas party at

the home of Mrs. Myrtle Hattaway.

All who attend are asked to bring

some article of groceries for basket

to be given to less fortunate families.

Those attending the meeting were

Mrs. A. G. Jones, Mrs. T. H. Spurlock,

Mrs. E. E. White, Mrs. E. C. Gaskin,

Mrs. C. E. Crawford, Mrs. Myrtle Hattaway, Mrs. Joe Hendricks, Mrs. Eva Boyd, Mrs. Edwin Johnson, Mrs. G. D. Jones, Mrs. P. W. Roberts, Mrs. H. McGuire and Mrs. B. H. Andrews.

UNION BUS LINES PLAN LOW RATES OVER HOLIDAYS

R. C. Dickason, manager of the Union bus terminal, 214 Grammont street, announced Thursday that special rates for the holiday season will go into effect about December 20, and will be approximately one and one-half of the regular fares for the round trip. The points that will be thus served will be most places in all directions so that many will be able to return home for the holidays.

The buses that are operated are extremely comfortable and are far better than those formerly operated in fact rolling stock and other facilities will be such as to show great improvement over that of a year ago.

Mr. Dickason said: "The fall business has been excellent and the public is more and more appreciating the service that is rendered. One feature, too, is that of the

bus terminal which is open 24 hours

a day.

universal courtesy and thoughtfulness

that all bus drivers and office operators seem to possess. Their first thought is for the welfare of passengers and this is as it should be, Mr. Dickason said.

He said that some more super-buses

will be added shortly with air con-

ditioning and other of the down to

the minute facilities that appeal to

the traveling public.

OLD FASHIONED SERVICE PLANNED

An old-fashioned church service will

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Mennen's Set Shave Cream, Skin Bracer, Talc, Skin Balm 10c

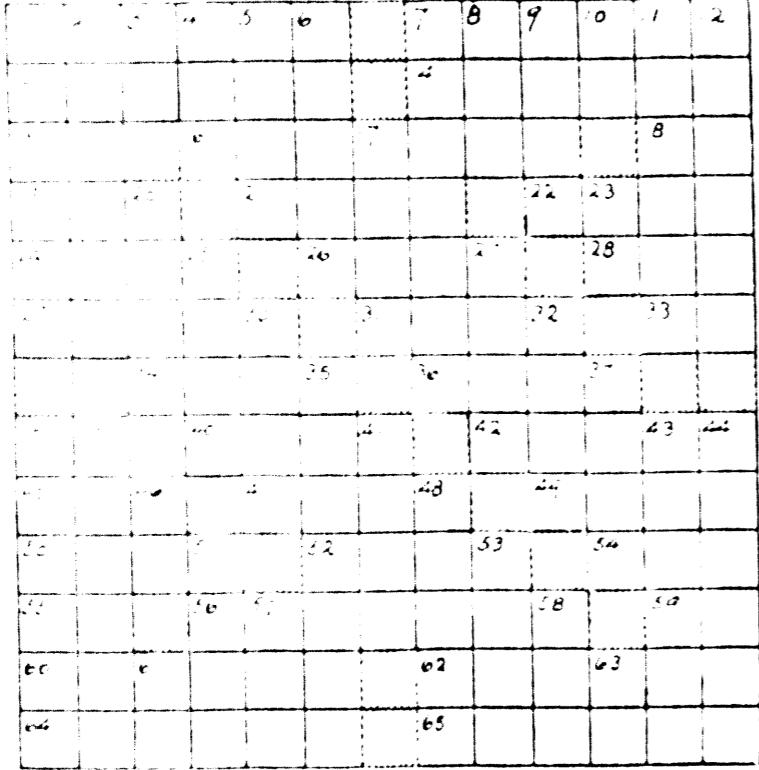
Gang-Buster Shoots gun from car, makes sparks, loud noise

NAZI OFFICIAL'S DEATH BLAMED ON VENGEANCE

After a long and difficult investigation, the police have determined that the death of Nazi official Dr. Heinrich von Tamm was the result of a plot by his enemies. The investigation has been conducted by the FBI and the local police force.

CROSS-WORD PUZZLE

ACROSS	Solution of Yesterday's Puzzle
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7	PANE WOMENS GAR
8	IREBLED ANTARA
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11	BEE EASTER
12	CREASED TREMOR
13	HART RINGER RIVA
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PITIFUL APPEALS BEING RECEIVED

houseful of people who are in a festive mood, and the city is far distant from the scene of the accident.

The crowd is composed of happy young people, mostly women, who are sharing in the fun and excitement of the annual festival.

However, the police are taking steps to prevent any further incidents.

Prospects are not too bright for the next few days, as the annual celebration of the festival continues.

One good feature of the festival is the fact that it is a meeting place for the different sections of the community.

Therefore, the police are making every effort to keep the peace and quiet.

It is the hope of the police that the festival will be a success and that it will bring about a better understanding between the different sections of the community.

Now do not we not be good to each other? We have plenty of ways to spend all the money we can possibly receive in a year, and that is the question.

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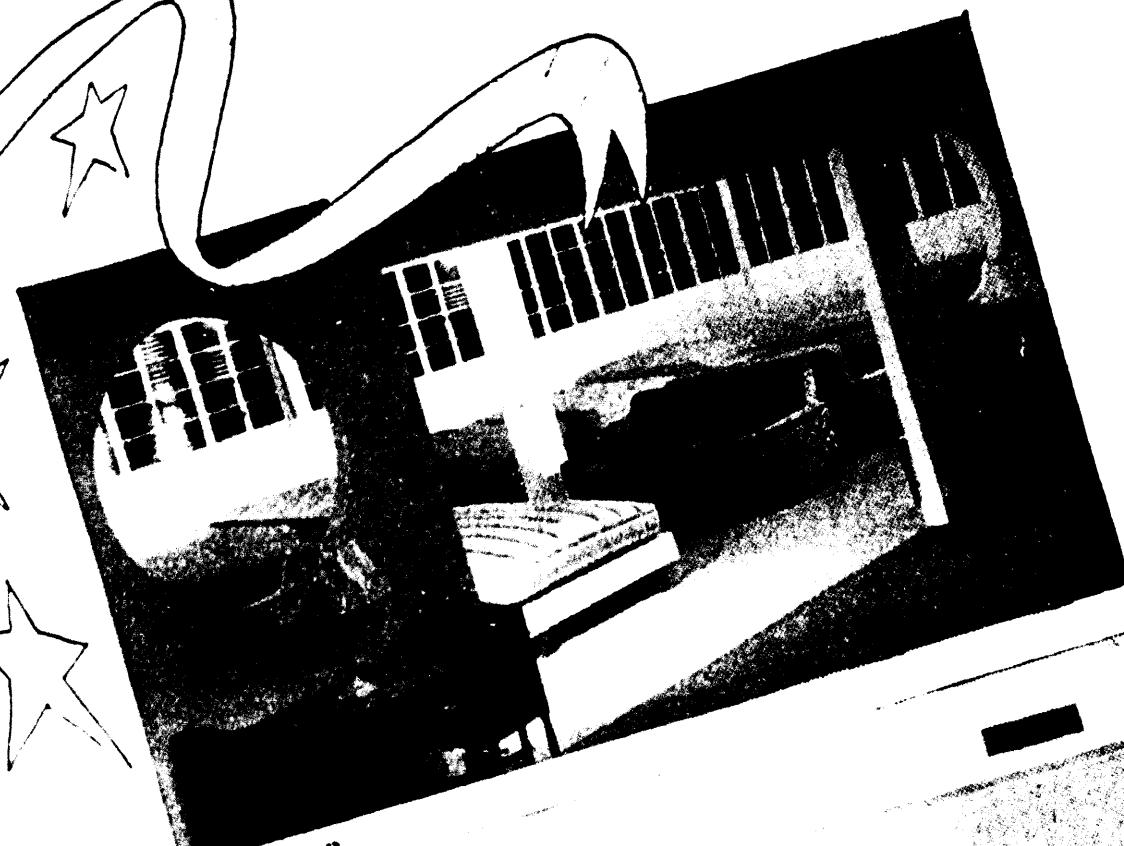
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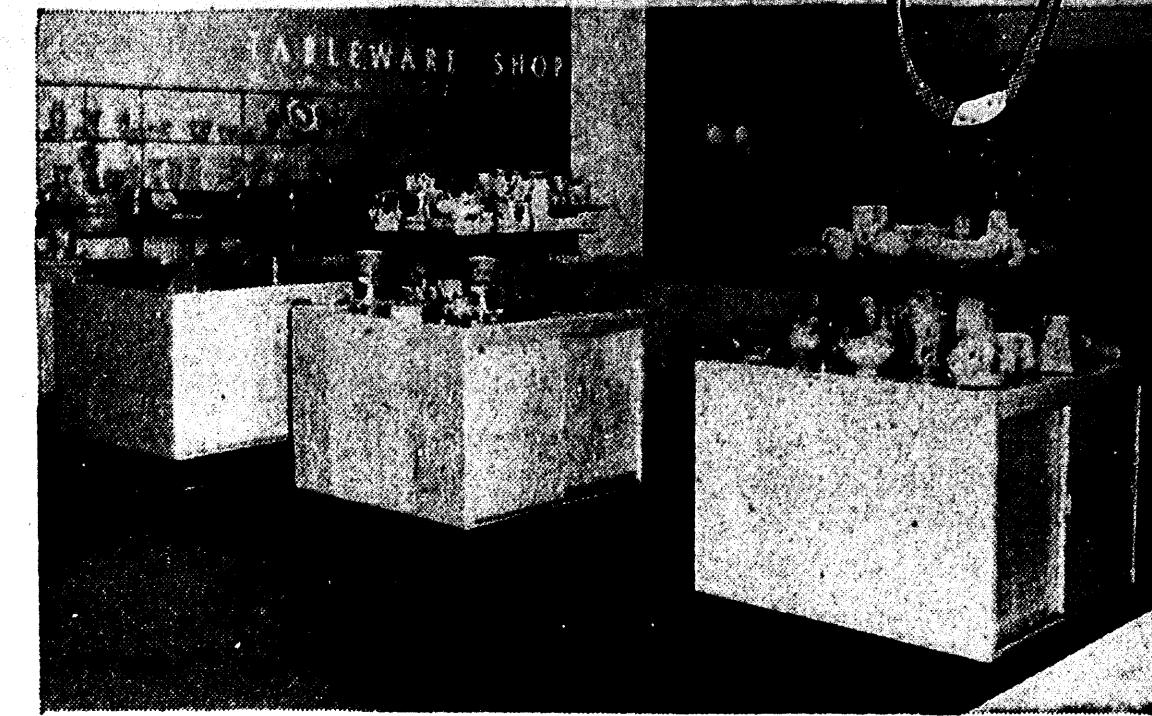


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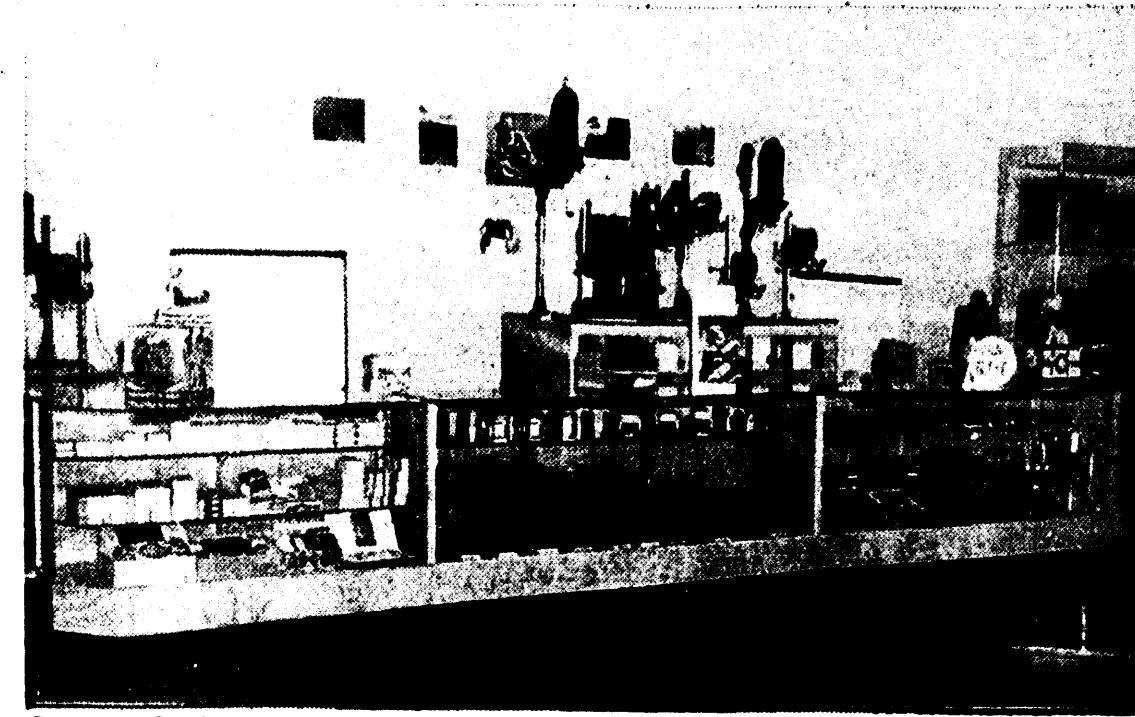


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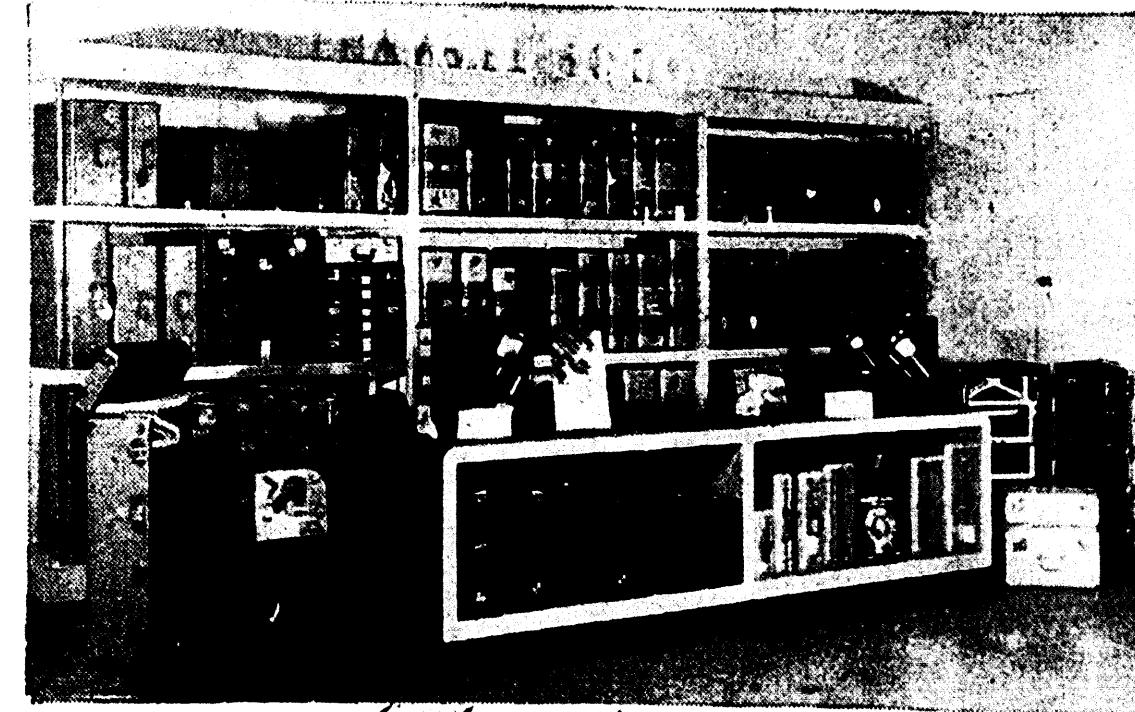
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Tableware Shop



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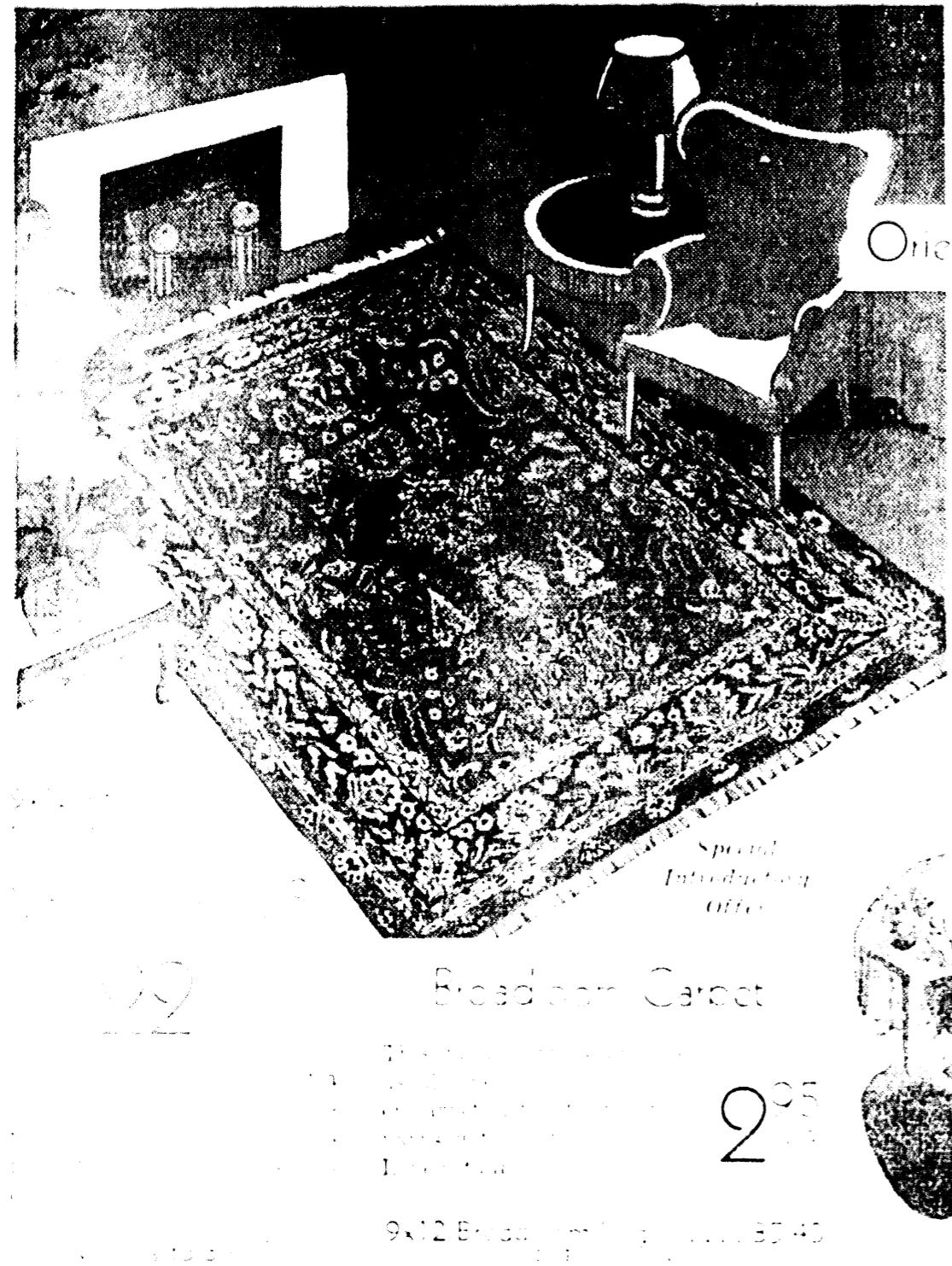
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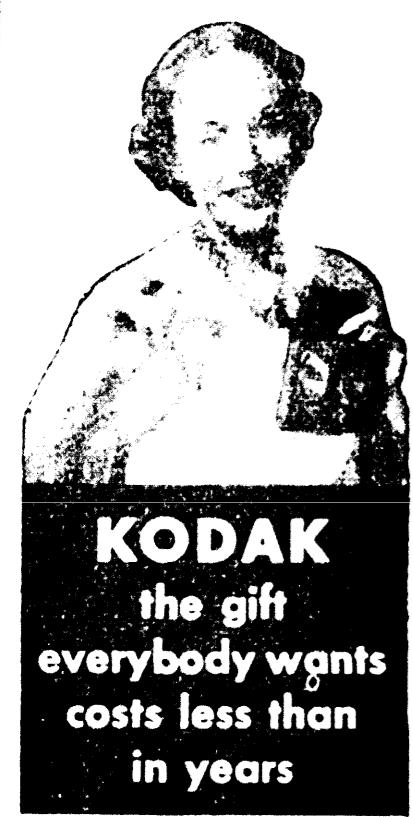
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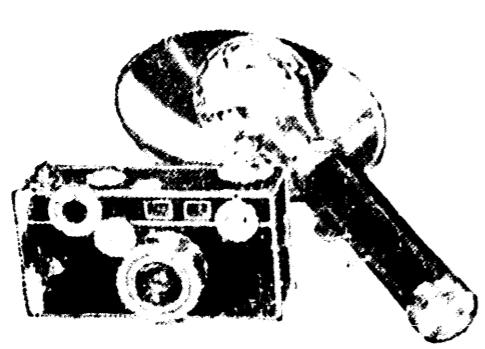
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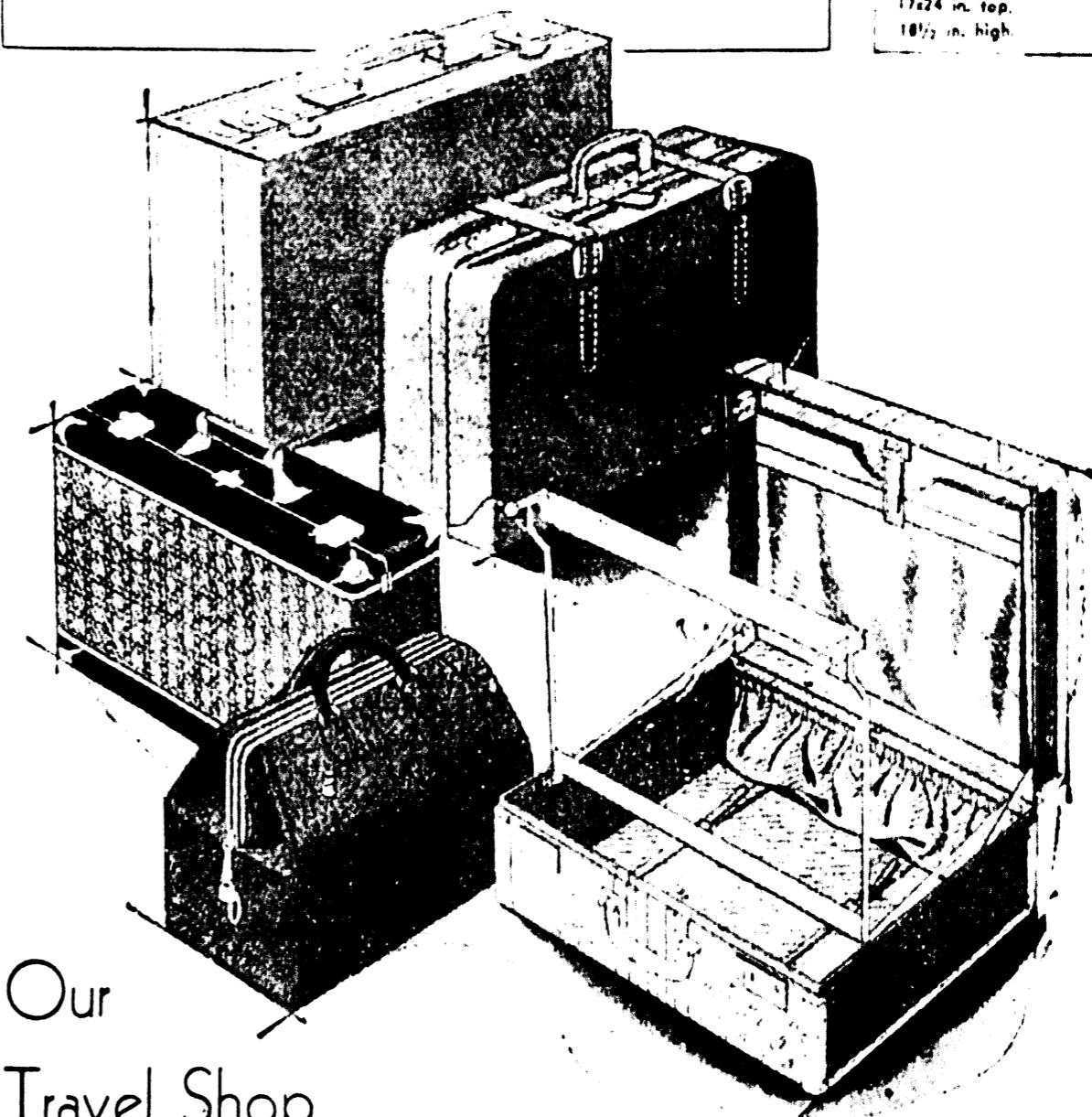
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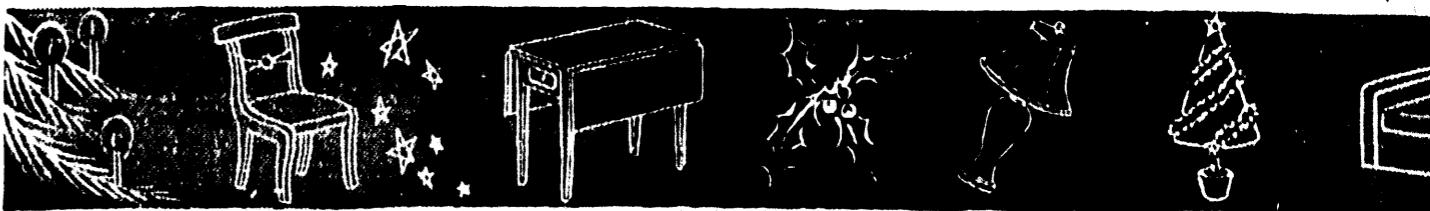
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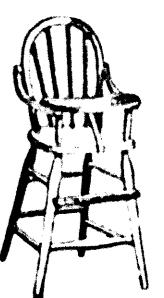
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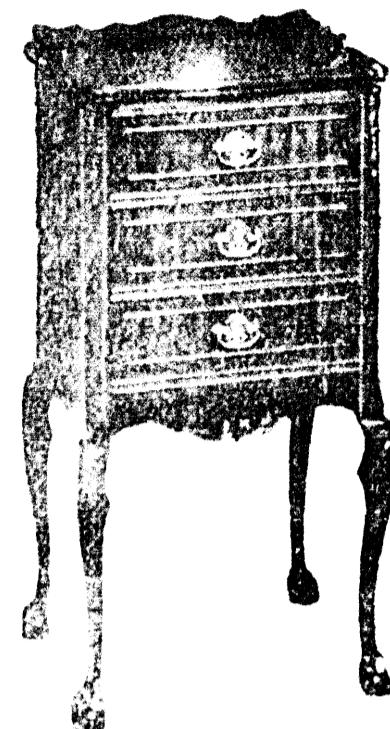
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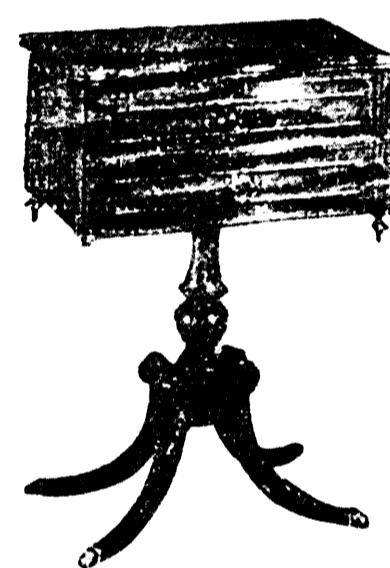
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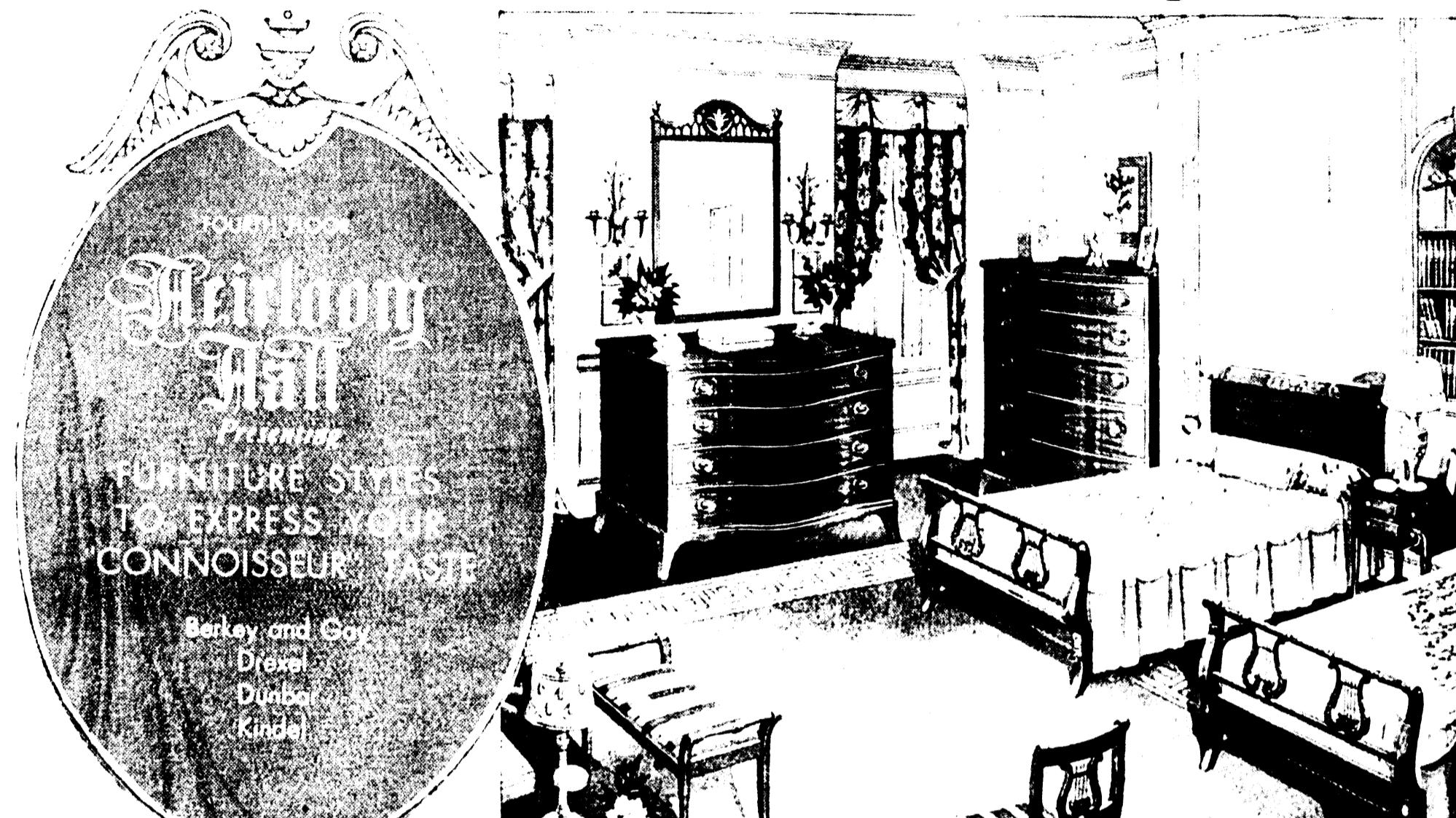
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Open Stock 'Plymouth' Group
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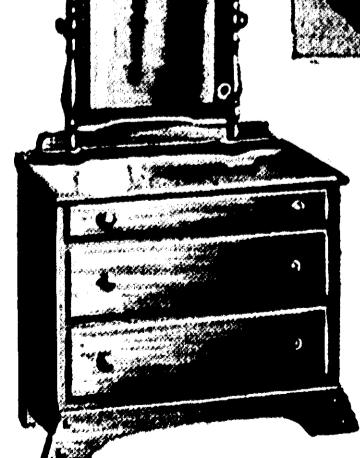
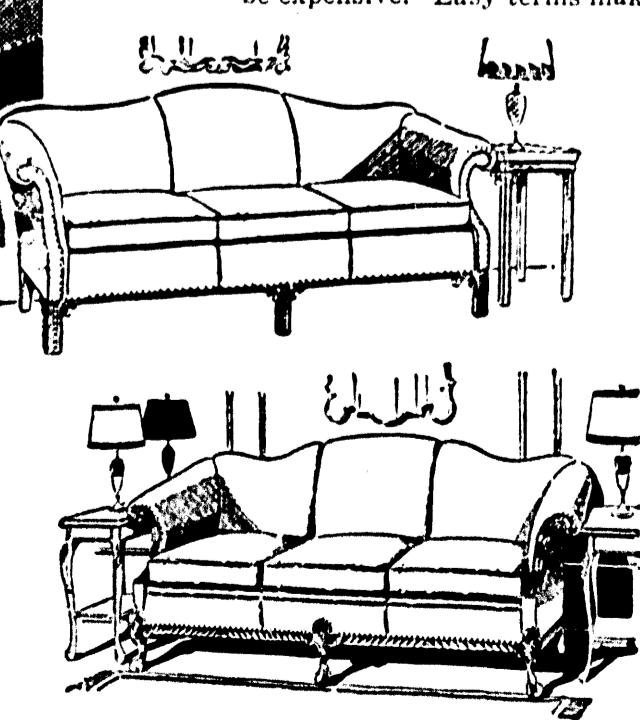
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Pictures By Mitcham To Be Displayed Here

Will Be Exhibited At Northeast Junior College Sunday Between 2 And 5 P. M.

Art lovers will be pleased with the announcement that an exhibition of pictures by Howard Mitcham of Baton Rouge will be shown at Northeast Junior college, Sunday afternoon between the hours of 2 and 5 p.m.

The pictures will be exhibited in the faculty lounge of the library building and guests will be welcomed by Roy Henderson, art instructor at Northeast Junior college. Mrs. H. M. James, Mrs. Henry May, Mrs. Guy Pabbs and Miss Freddie Norris.

"Social Problems in a Changing World," was discussed in a highly instructive paper, presented by Mrs. Eva Slater at the meeting of the study club last week.

"Modern life," according to Mrs. Slater, "is everywhere changing but specially so in the United States where immigrants from many lands, rapid mobility of the population, all the lack of established classes or castes, as a result of social changes, have had their effect upon the days of the frontier and

whirl of modernism which almost passes before."

Mrs. Slater spoke of the changes in family life, the output of agriculture, wages and dividends, as well as problems in housing, education and the supervision of leisure.

Relative to art, Mrs. Slater said: "From a social point of view, as contrasted with art for art's sake, the problem of art like that of religion and recreation, turns today on its ability to man in his inner adjustment to an environment which shifts and changes with unexampled rapidity." Art appears to be one of the first things which stand between man and man, and mental breakdowns, having him comfort, security and

After the lesson, Mrs. D. X. Elliott, assisted by her two lovely children and her mother, Mrs. John Thompson, served a turkey luncheon to the visiting members. Mrs. Carol Devoe, Mrs. James Devoe, Mrs. E. K. Duncan, Mrs. H. L. Lovell, Mrs. G. A. Adams, Mrs. McGehee, Mrs. Henry Murchison, Mrs. Elmer Richards and Mrs. Sibley.

The interest of friends is centered on the recent marriage of Mrs. Mary Morris Brown and Mr. Curtis B. Bergman, of Monroe, La., at the home of Rev. J. L. Younger, December 6.

The following members were at the wedding: Mr. W. F. Collier and Mrs. Jeanne Martin, also of Monroe.

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Members of the Junior Charity Club are planning to attend the Southern aluminum Saturday, Dec. 12, at the home of Mrs. J. L. Younger, December 6.

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He indicated a chair with a wave of his hand, and Michael sat down.

"I'll come right to the point," said Michael, and looked across at McBain, who put his pipe in his mouth, crossed his knees, and glanced up inquiringly. "You'll remember I asked you several questions about Professor Murchison the night of the Devoe's party?"

"Yes." He smoothed down the fringe of hair on each side of the white forehead. His eyes were deeply attentive.

Michael hesitated. "I'm afraid I was doing something not quite polite," he said. "I was... well, I was pumping you."

"Pumping me?"

Michael leaned forward and clasped his hands between his knees. "That business about the women," he explained. "I hadn't heard anything. I was looking for information."

McBain frowned. The wrinkles at the side of his strong face deepened. "I had some purpose, I suppose."

"Yes." He paused again. "Did it ever occur to you, Dr. McBain, that it was rather queer of Professor Murchison, whom you knew so well, to leave as he did without a word of farewell to you, or an explanation?"

McBain raised his eyebrows. "It didn't," he said quietly. "Did you ever ask his wife, or his brother, where and why he had gone?"

"Bit Offended"

IT WAS McBain's turn to hesitate. "I'll tell you the truth, Forrester," he said, after a moment. "I was a bit offended. I considered that some explanation was due me, particularly as Murchison and I had planned to do a bit of research together. I didn't ask for several days, because I was huffed, and then I spoke to Duncan. I don't care much for Mrs. Murchison."

"And what did Duncan say, may I ask?"

McBain looked at him directly. "Before I answer that, I should like to know just what you are getting at, Forrester."

"I'm sorry, I should have told you... well, plainly, it's this. The Professor did not go away on a business trip. He disappeared, and no one knew where he went."

"Surely, that isn't possible!"

"Well, it's the truth."

McBain was thoughtful. "Then that may explain what Duncan meant," he said half to himself. "I was a bit puzzled."

"What did he say?"

"He said... 'You'll have to ask his wife for the answer to that question... and I don't suppose she'll tell you!'

"Did he seem content, or what?"

"He was angry. But... I suppose there's no harm in mentioning it to you... he and his sister-in-law have never gotten along too well. They're both hot tempered. I put it down to a fit of pique. You say she doesn't know where her husband is either?"

"No."

"You had something of that in mind, then, when you spoke about his interest in women?"

"Yes. The only explanation that seemed to fit the facts would be that of his having gone off with some other woman."

McBain shook his head. "No. I shall never believe that possible. He wasn't that sort."

"You are still sure of that?"

"Positive. Do you mind telling me... have you any definite reason for thinking of such an explanation?"

"Do you mind if we come to that later? There are a lot of things I'd like to ask you first."

"Anything I know is at your disposal," he said grimly.

"Well then, can you remember when you saw Edgar Murchison last?"

"I walked home with him from the University on the afternoon of the day the University closed. He must have gone that night or early the next morning."

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Coming Events

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The Musical Coterie will meet at the home of Mrs. Julius Kugler, Mrs. Louis Hullum, co-hostess. Programs for November 24 and December 8 combined.

Cheniere Grammar school box supper at the school, 7:30 p.m. School benefit affair open to the public.

Meeting of the Musical Coterie at the home of Mrs. Julius Kugler. Programs for November 24 and December 8 combined.

The public is cordially invited to an old fashioned box supper and speaking at the Swartz grammar school cafeteria, 7:30 p.m.

Organization of a younger business girls group in Y. W. C. A. club rooms, 7:30 o'clock.

The Barkdull Faulk Study club will meet at the school, 2 p.m. Mrs. Joe Durrett, leader.

Cake walk and rally at the Eureka school, 7:30 p.m.

The Alice Millaps Memorial class of the Presbyterian church, will entertain with a party at the McGuire club, 7:30 p.m. Members are urged to attend.

Saturday

Meeting of the Daughters of the American Revolution at the chapter house, 2:30 p.m.

The Junior Charity league will meet at the Virginia hotel for their regular monthly luncheon, 12:30. Members are reminded to bring toys for the Christmas box.

Sunday

Howard Mitcham of Baton Rouge will present his pictures in an exhibit at Northeast Junior college in the faculty lounge of the library building, 2 p.m. 1:30 p.m.

Monday, December 11

Business and Professional Women's club will sponsor a bingo party at the Y. M. C. A. Public is invited, 8 p.m.

Tuesday

St. Anne's circle will meet at the home of Mrs. Paul Reising, Apartment 2, 2120 Park avenue.

Thursday, December 14

Junior Gavel club will meet with Mrs. G. L. Morgan, 3911 Spurgeon drive.

Monday, December 18

Fine Arts club banquet, Frances hotel, 8 p.m.

Thursday, December 21

Phi Kappa fraternity lead-out dance at Frances hotel, 10 p.m.-2 a.m.

Monday, December 25

Phi Kappa 11th annual tea dancing. Phi Kappa sweethearts, Miss Kathleen Bolleigh and Miss Josephine McCorkle, at the Phi Kappa house, 5 p.m.-8 p.m.

Friday, December 29

Phi Kappa fraternity men will entertain at their 14th annual Christmas ball, Frances hotel, 10 p.m.-2 a.m.

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Wednesday, December 31

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The Creeping Man

by Frances Shelley Wess

"Did he seem disturbed about anything?"

"Not at all. He was a bit preoccupied, but nothing more."

"About what?"

"I do not know—unless it might be money matters."

"Money matters?"

"His wife's extravagance was a continual source of worry to him. He mentioned then, I remember, that he would need to work all vacation to keep ahead of the game."

"He had a considerable bank balance?"

"Possibly, but she planned an extensive holiday, I believe. This was not said in so many words, you know, I knew him pretty well—it was merely from a word here and there that I gather this."

"You never heard him mention any property, valuable property?"

"That he owned? No. Although—let me see... No."

"Why did you hesitate?"

"I realized that I was mistaken as soon as I spoke. His wife corrected me unconsciously the other night."

"How, Dr. McBain?"

"Happy at First"

"YOU wouldn't have noticed, I suppose. It was in regard to a diamond necklace—Mrs. Deane questioned her about one. I was rather under the impression that those were diamonds, and if that is so, they must have been Murchison's property. His wife was penniless when he married her. He told me that once. But she said quite frankly that her necklace was not diamonds, so I was wrong."

"Had he told you of owning any diamonds?"

"No. But I saw the necklace in question on Christmas Eve, and once or twice previously. I certainly took the stones to be diamonds."

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"Thanks," Michael replied. "I hope you're not busy. I want to talk with you."

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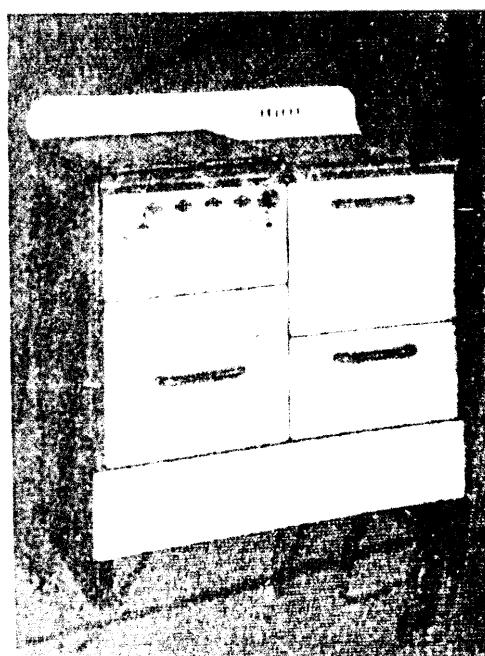
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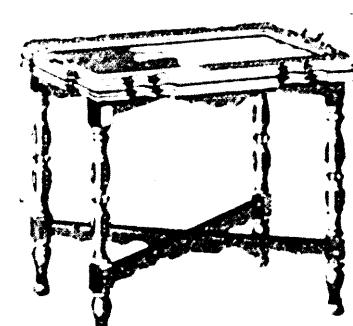
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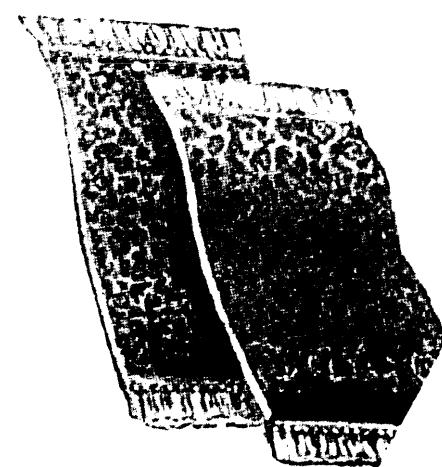
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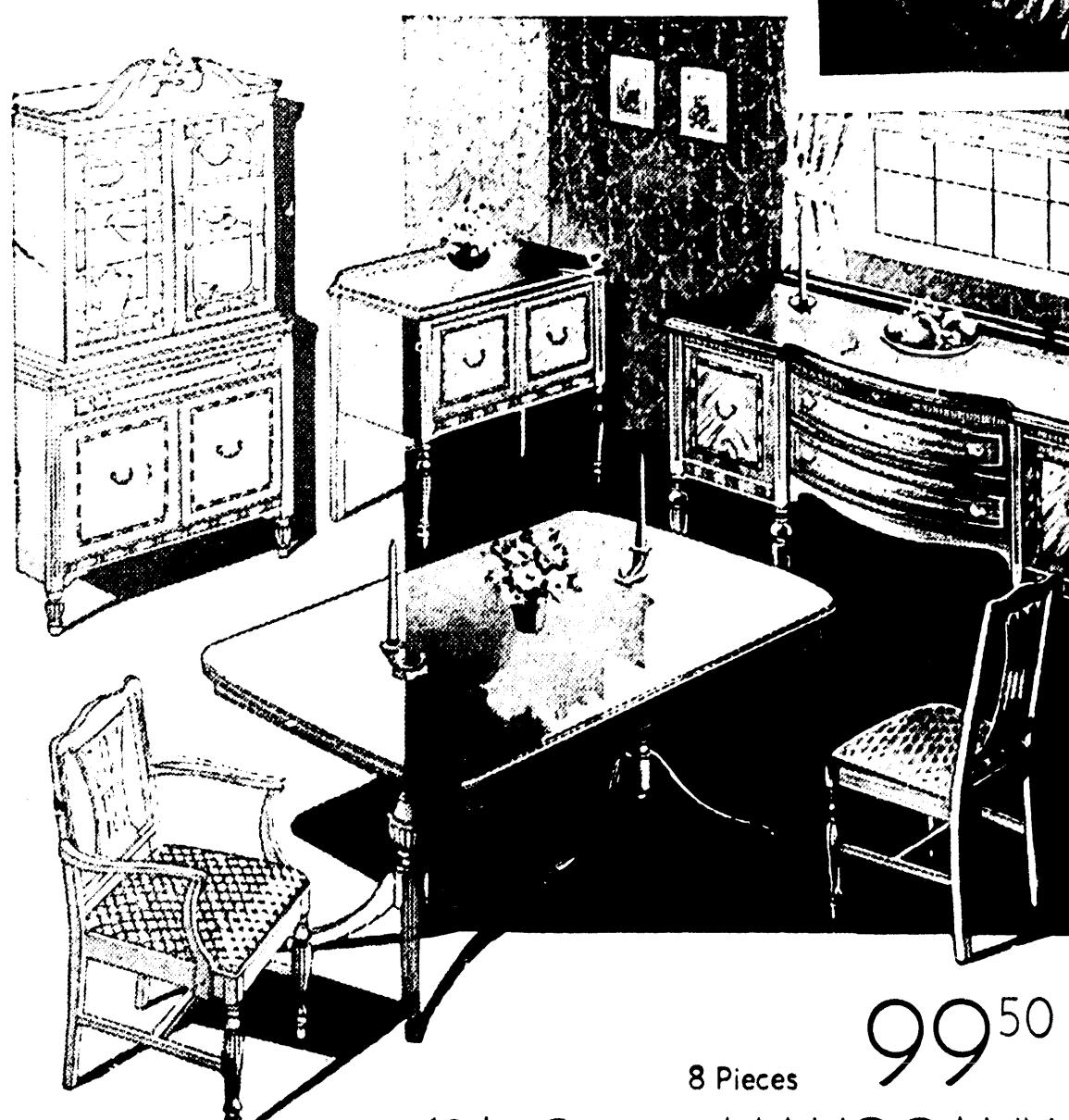
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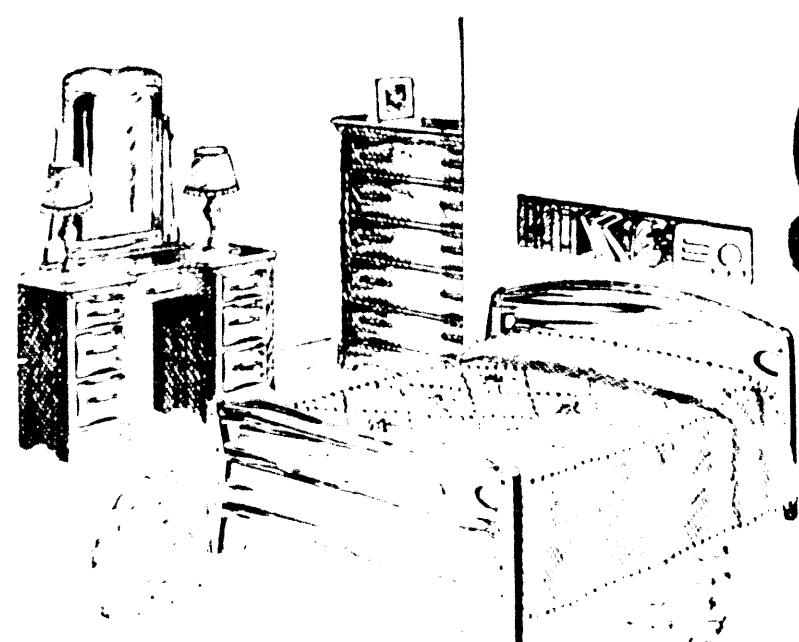
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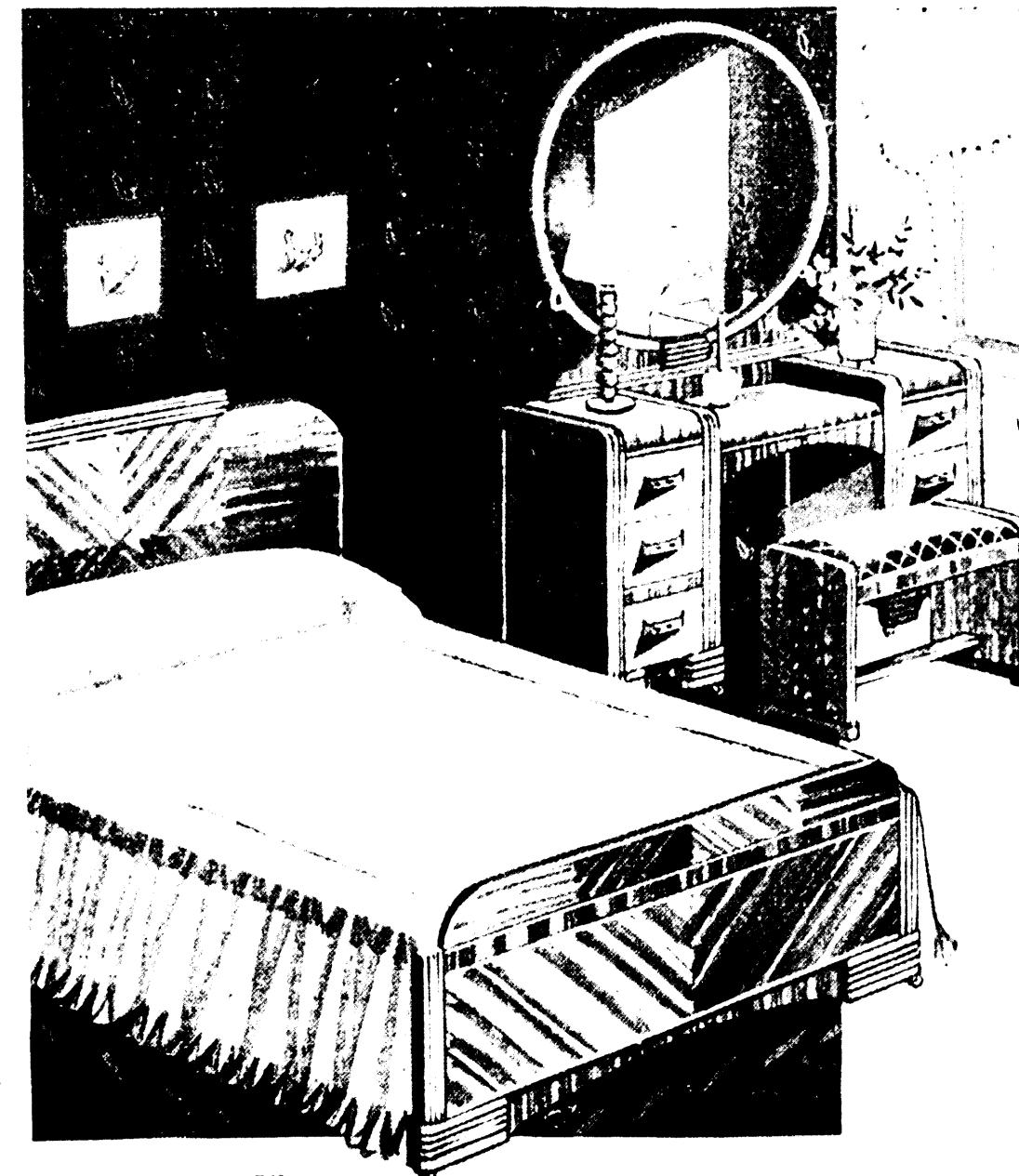
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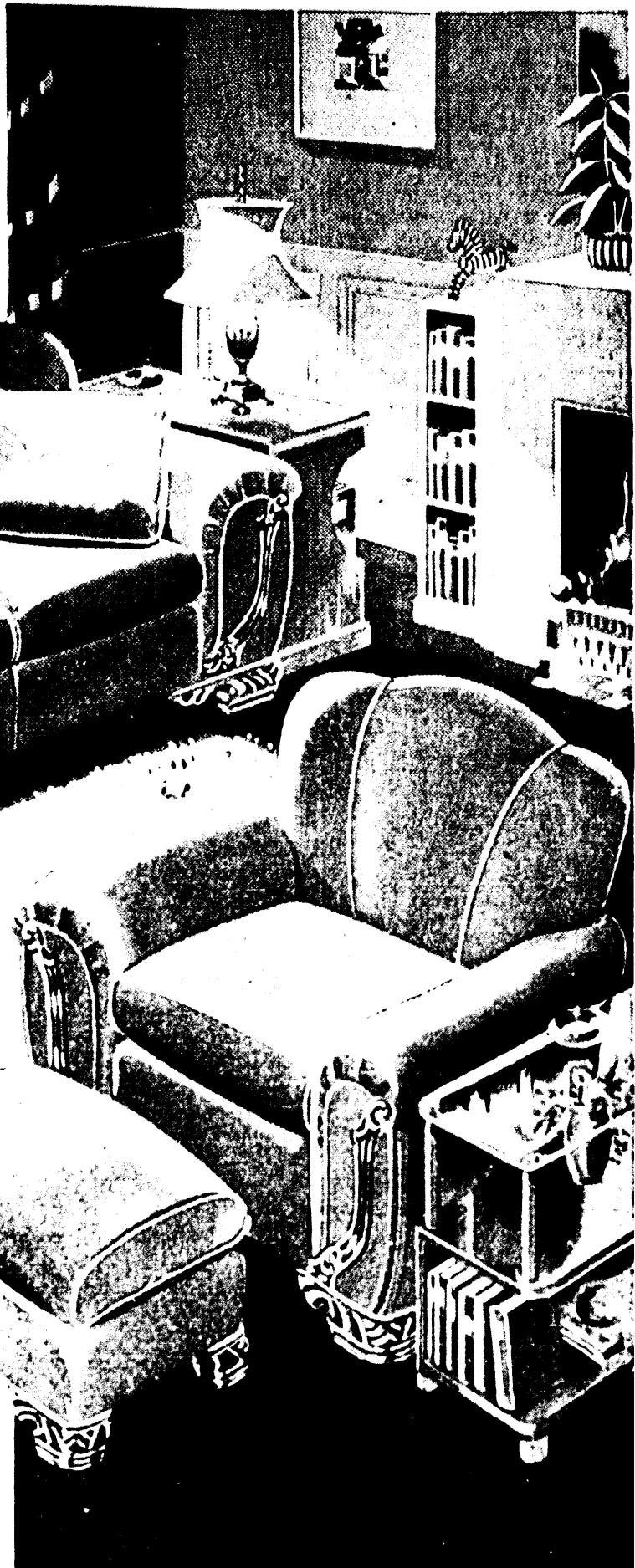
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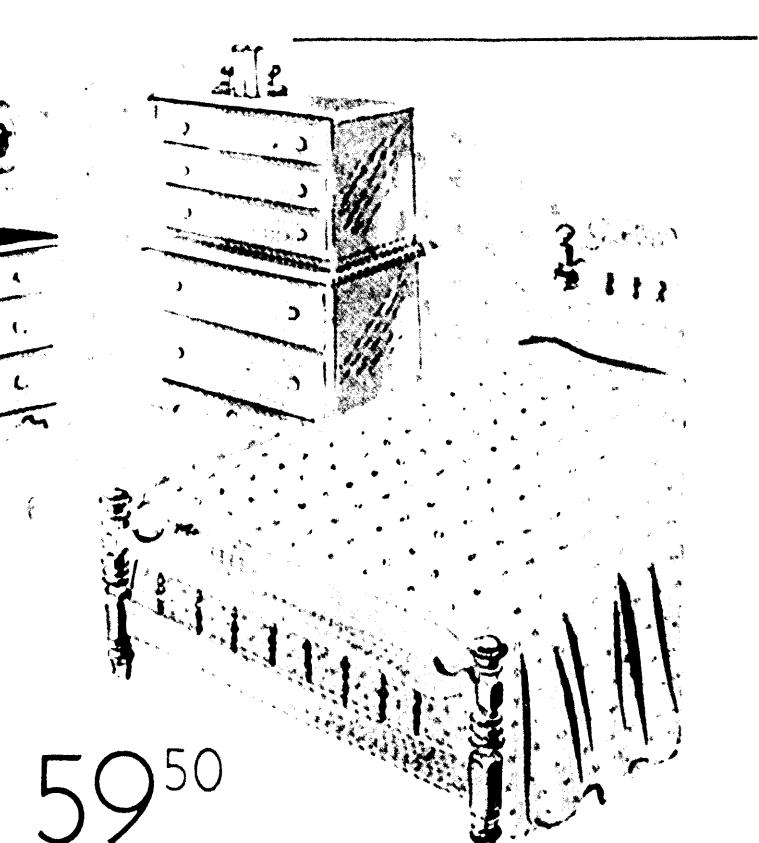
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